

Southeast Tri-County Technology Zone

Strengths

Geographic Location: The region is less than one day's drive from several major Midwestern cities. Its location near the Illinois border has helped attract businesses and residents from Illinois.



Transportation: The region is served by Interstate and state highways, several rail freight services and commuter rail service.

There is access to several airports, including Milwaukee's Mitchell International and Chicago's O'Hare.

Manufacturing Base: The area is home to some of the world's leading manufacturers, which has led to the development of a skilled and

dedicated workforce. This three-county Technology Zone also offers numerous high-amenity sites/locations.

Educational Institutions: The Southeast Tri-County Technology Zone is the home of Carthage College, the University of Wisconsin-Parkside, Gateway Technical College. UW-Parkside is a partner in TechStar, a collaborative effort to turn the research in the region's academic laboratories into entrepreneurial ventures.

Clusters

The following high-technology clusters have been identified in the Southeast Tri-County Technology Zone:

- High-End Automated Systems Manufacturing
- Telecommunications
- Business Services/Supply-Chain Management
- Health Care
- Printing
- Biological/Chemical Related
- Biomedical Technology/Informatics
- Finance/Insurance
- Information Technology/Data Processing

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